



## **ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT NEWS RELEASE**

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### **CITY OF SAN DIEGO INVITES LOCAL COMPANIES TO PARTICIPATE IN TOP RECYCLER AWARDS**

*Applications Now Available for the City's Waste Reduction & Diversion Awards Program*

**San Diego, CA** – Does your business or organization exemplify the “green” mantra? If so, you could be the winner of the City of San Diego's ***Recycler of the Year Award*** or the ***Director's Recycling Award***.

Each year, the City's Environmental Services Department (ESD) selects businesses and organizations located within the City that have implemented or expanded innovative and successful waste reduction, recycling and recycled product purchasing programs. The Recycler of the Year Award winners will be honored at a Special Event in April, 2014.

Recycling award applications are due by Friday, February 7, 2014. Award applications can be downloaded from [www.sdesd.com/recycling/business/advantage.shtml](http://www.sdesd.com/recycling/business/advantage.shtml) or obtained by calling Rebecca Hays at 858-492-5033. Completed recycling award applications must be e-mailed to [RAHays@sanidiego.gov](mailto:RAHays@sanidiego.gov) or mailed to:

City of San Diego  
Environmental Services Department  
Attention: Rebecca Hays  
9601 Ridgehaven Court, Suite 320  
San Diego, CA 92123

*The Environmental Services Department (ESD) provides local businesses with assistance in developing waste reduction and recycling programs with a free comprehensive waste analysis. For more information about ESD's programs, call 858-694-7000, or visit the website at [www.recyclingworks.com](http://www.recyclingworks.com).*

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